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TO: ALL COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS

SUBJECT: ANNUAL REFUGEE ASSISTANCE BY NATIONALITY REPORT

REFERENCE: ALL COUNTY LETTER NO. 93-35, DATED JUNE 3, 1993

The purpose of this errata is to inform counties of three corrections in the above referenced All County Letter (ACL) as follows:

In paragraph two, the first sentence should read: First, Aid to Families with Dependent Children - Family Group (AFDC-FG) and AFDC - Unemployment (AFDC-U) data is now captured under the AFDC column. The third sentence in paragraph two should read: Finally, a breakout for Amerasians (Number 3.A.) has been included.

On the instructions for the Annual Report Refugee Assistance by Nationality (Form RS 238), under the subheading "LINE ITEM DEFINITIONS", the second paragraph should read: Line Item \*3.A. Amerasians are children of Southeast Asian mothers and an American citizen. (See ACL 93-35 for further clarification).

In addition, if you have any questions related to statistical reporting, please contact Lydia Ayon at (916) 653-7230 or Cal Net 453-7230. Questions concerning the refugee program requirements should be directed to your Program Operations Analyst at (916) 323-2131.

Attachments: RS 238 and instructions

ANNUAL REPORT  
REFUGEE ASSISTANCE-BY-NATIONALITY  
(FORM RS 238)

CONTENT

This report provides for the collection and reporting of yearly statistical information by county welfare departments which administer the refugee program under the supervision of the California Department of Social Services. Information is to be collected on time-eligible refugees participating in the following programs: Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC), (Family Group (FG) and Unemployed (U)), Refugee Cash Assistance (RCA), and Medi-Cal Only (MCO).

PURPOSE

The statistical information collected on this report is used by the Refugee and Immigration Programs Branch to meet federal requirements for data collection and to refine the estimates of refugee populations.

DISTRIBUTION

Information in this report is compiled and distributed yearly to the Federal Department of Health and Human Services, state program managers, county welfare departments and other interested agencies and individuals.

REPORT PERIOD AND DUE DATE

The report date is June 30 of each year. The information should identify the ending caseload (by persons) for the month of June. The reports are to be received in Sacramento by the fifteenth calendar day of July following the June report month. Mail the report to:

California Department of Social Services  
Statistical Services Bureau  
744 P Street, Mail Station 12-81  
Sacramento, Ca. 95814

COLUMN DEFINITIONS

Country of Origin: The country of origin means the country of citizenship, not necessarily the country from which the refugee arrived.  
Cash Assistance: Self-explanatory. Under the Cash Assistance column, information is collected on refugees receiving AFDC (FG and U), and RCA.  
Medical-Cal Only: Number of persons eligible only for medical assistance. report.

LINE ITEM DEFINITIONS

Line Item 2: For the purposes of this report, the Laos Nationality grouping will include Hmong.

Line Item \*3. A. Amerasians are children of Southeast Asian mothers and an American citizen. (See ACL 93-35 for further clarification).

Line Item 6: Other Eastern European countries will include all other Eastern European countries not listed on the report form. These will include Romania, Hungary, Bulgaria and Czechoslovakia.

Line Item 7: The entry under Cuba is not to include Cuban-Haitians.

Line Item 12: Enter if a particular nationality is less than 5 percent of the total refugee welfare population.

Blank Line: Identify the country(ies) of origin not listed in Line Items 1-12 from which 5 percent or more of your county's refugee welfare recipients came.

COLUMN INSTRUCTIONS

Cash Assistance: Enter for each country listed the number of time-eligible refugees (persons, not cases) within your caseload who are receiving public assistance under the AFDC (FG/U) and RCA programs for whom ORR reimbursements is being claimed. U.S. born babies within a refugee filing unit should be included in all categories.

Medi-Cal Only: Enter for each country listed number of persons eligible only for Medi-Cal Assistance. Do not include those persons receiving a combination of Cash Assistance and Medi-Cal since these persons should be counted under the Cash Assistance column only.

\*Although this is not a "Country of Origin" designation, the data is needed for statistical purposes.

SEND ONE COPY TO:  
 Department of Social Services  
 Statistical Services Bureau  
 744 P Street, M.S. 19-81  
 Sacramento, CA 95814

# REFUGEE ASSISTANCE BY NATIONALITY ANNUAL REPORT - (Persons Only)

COUNTY	STATE USE ONLY	
	COUNTY	
REPORT PERIOD		

COUNTRY OF ORIGIN	CASH ASSISTANCE			MEDI-CAL ONLY
	AFDC		RCA	
	FG	U		
TOTAL				
1. CAMBODIA				
2. LAOS (INCLUDING HMONG)				
3. VIETNAM				
A. AMERASIANS (See Instructions)				
4. SOVIET UNION (U.S.S.R.)				
5. POLAND				
6. OTHER EASTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES				
7. CUBA				
8. AFGHANISTAN				
9. IRAN				
10. IRAQ				
11. ETHIOPIA				
12. OTHER				
COMMENTS:				
PERSON TO CONTACT REGARDING THIS REPORT				
TELEPHONE NUMBER		DATE		